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TO AMEMBASSY BELGRADE

AMEMBASSY BONN

AMCONSUL MUNICH

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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJ: YUGOSLAVS REGISTER CONCERN ABOUT HATE MAIL, THREAT  
TO DIPLOMAT AND EMIGRE PUBLICATIONS

1. YUGOSLAV FIRST SECRETARY VIDOVIC CALLED ON YUGOSLAV  
COUNTRY OFFICER SEPTEMBER 18 TO  
REGISTER HIS EMBASSY'S CONCERN ABOUT HATE MAIL ADDRESSED  
TO EMBASSY, A TELEPHONIC THREAT TO THE LIFE OF THE  
YUGOSLAV CONSUL GENERAL IN NYC AND THE APPEARANCE  
NEAR NUREMBERG OF A MAP-PLACARD DEPICTING "GREATER  
CROATIA" ALLEGEDLY PUBLISHED BY AN EMIGRE NEWSPAPER  
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2. WITH REGARD TO MAP-PLACARD, VIDOVIC REPORTED THAT

A POSTCARD-SIZED PLACARD BEARING A MAP OF "GREATER CROATIA" WAS FOUND NEAR NUREMBERG NOT LONG AGO. AT REQUEST OF GOY, FRG AUTHORITIES INVESTIGATED ORIGIN OF PLACARD. THEY INFORMED GOY PLACARD HAD ORIGINATED AT FOLLOWING ADDRESS: HRVATSKA BORBA, C/O BOX 4810, WASHINGTON, D.C. 2008. GOY BELIEVES THIS IS CLEAR EVIDENCE THAT RUDOLF ARAPOVIC, PUBLISHER OF EMIGRE NEWSPAPER HRVATSKA BORBA, IS ENGAGED IN ACTIVITIES AGAINST YUGOSLAVIA WHICH GO BEYOND PUBLISHING. VIDOVIC INDICATED YUGOSLAV EMBASSY DID NOT HAVE COPY OF THIS PLACARD.

3. MEMCON REPORTING DETAILS OF VIDOVIC'S COMMENTS ABOUT HATE MAIL AND THREAT TO YUGOSLAV CONSUL GENERAL IN NYC WILL BE POUCHED.

4. COMMENT: HATE MAIL WILL BE TURNED OVER TO FBI FOR APPROPRIATE ACTION. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION ABOUT THE MAP-PLACARD WHICH EMBASSY BONN OR AMCONGEN MUNICH CAN OBTAIN FROM FRG AUTHORITIES.  
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